

# Panther Paws

February 2012

## GLENDALE SCHOOL

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2011-2012

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Mrs. Weigle, Grade 4  
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Mrs. Elward, Grade 5  
Mrs. Schuler, Special Needs  
Mrs. Miller, Aide  
Mrs. Zuercher, Special Needs  
Mrs. Frank, Instructional Aide  
Mrs. Vescogni, Collaboration  
Mrs. Wilson, Collaborative Aide  
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Mrs. Foley, School Nurse  
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Mrs. Warren, Health Clerk

Mrs. Maddox, Cook

Mrs. Norton, Cook

Mr. Goble,  
Custodian

Mr. Carman,  
Custodian

## 2011-12 Glendale Spelling Bee

The annual Glendale Spelling Bee was held on Friday, January 20. Congratulations to our winner Jackson Perdue (4Y) and runner up Chalen Kohl (3S) who will represent Glendale School in the EPD-86 District Spelling Bee on Monday, January 30.

Our other participants in this year's Spelling Bee were Maycee Oggero and Austin Safford from 5C, Brody Fahrion and Lindsay McWhirter from 5E, Chase Ulrich-Wagner and Hailey Randall from 4W, Tressa Grisham from 4Y, Brian Hiatt and Annie Mache from 3H, Emma Kent and Madelyne Aaron



Chalen  
Runner Up

Jackson  
Winner

from 3M, and from 3S, Dallas Woolard.

Every student who represented his or her class at the school level, whether they advance to the District level Spelling Bee or not, should be proud of their achievement.

## January's Students of the Month



Front Row: Autumn (I-Z)

Back Row: Tommy (4W), Ceara (5C),  
Chloe (5E), Dakota (3H), Chris (4Y)

Not Pictured: Bradley (3S); Jaclyn (3M)



# Mark It Down!

## School Improvement Day

All District 86 faculty and staff will be participating in a School Improvement Day on **Friday, February 17**. Students will be dismissed at 12:40 on that day.



## Presidents' Day

**Monday, February 20**, there will be no attendance in observance of Presidents' Day.

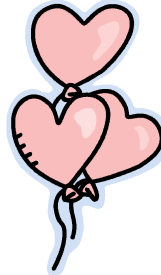
## District 86 Board of Education

The next regular meeting will be on **Thursday, February 16**, at 7:00 p.m. in the board room of the Administrative Offices.



## Valentine Parties

On **Tuesday, February 14**, we will be having our classroom Valentine Parties beginning at **2:15**. Only parents who are helping set up for the party will be allowed to come into the building before 2:15.



Thanks for your cooperation in helping the afternoon parties run smoothly.

## Head Lice

In a close environment like a school, one student who is infested with head lice can very quickly lead to a school-wide problem. Therefore, our District nurse visits our schools regularly to do school-wide head lice checks.

For more information about head lice and their treatment, please contact Mrs. Foley, our District Nurse, at 427-5118.

## Glendale/Woodrow Wilson Parent-Teacher Club

Mark down **Tuesday, February 14**, at 6:00 p.m. for the next meeting of the Glendale/Woodrow Wilson Parent-Teacher Club meeting. It will be held at Wilson School.

If you have not yet taken part in this involved group, it is not too late. Join us at the next meeting.

Our Parent-Teacher Club officers are Vanessa Hale, President; Marsie Gale, Vice President; Michelle Eckberg, Secretary; Justin Hale, Treasurer; Jennifer Cowen, Ways & Means; and Parent Advisory members, David Moechnig and Jason Cowen.

## Clothing Closet

If your student needs clothes, including winter coats, gloves, or hats, please encourage him or her to see Mrs. Sarver.



# Noteworthy Behavior

Good behavior ought to be its own reward. Toward that end, we encourage our students to do the right thing. In January, they got "all wrapped up" as human snowmen. They do look a little like mummies, but it is winter.

Congratulations to each of our students who displayed excellent behavior in their conduct and effort during the month of December!

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Each month, every student starts with a clean behavior slate. Every day they are able to earn punch-outs on their Incentive Card. They can receive one for how well they behave and one for the degree of effort they have put forth on that day. To be part of the monthly celebration, a student must have attained 80% of the possible daily punch-outs for the month.



# Don't forget...

## Glendale School Rules

Glendale's behavioral model is built upon these six basic statements:

*"I am responsible for my own actions."*

*"I will choose to treat others the way I want to be treated."*

*"I will choose to respect all Glendale staff and fellow students."*

*"I will choose to respect school property and the property of others."*

*"I will choose to behave in all school settings and at all school functions."*

*"I will accept the consequences, good or bad, for the choices I make."*

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## Student Teachers

Glendale welcomes two student teachers this spring. Miss Janowski will be mentored by Mrs. Weigle in her 4th Grade class and Mrs. Martinez will be mentoring Miss Chestnut in her 3rd Grade class.

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## Glendale Night at Firehouse Pizza

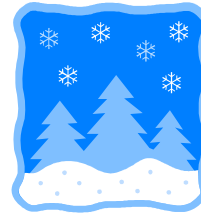
Our Parent-Teacher Club is hosting the popular *Glendale Night at Firehouse Pizza* on Tuesday evening, **February 7**, from **4:30 to 8:30**.

What a *delicious* way to help support our schools.

## Being Prepared for Winter's Chill

We are in the midst of the winter season now. It is very important that your students be dressed for the cold when they come to school.

While waiting for the bus, the temps can be bone chilling. Dress them so they can withstand the cold and the wind while waiting for



their bus.

Warm coats, warm gloves, and warm hats are essential for outdoor recess. Unless the wind chill is below 20 degrees or there is inclement weather, they will be outside for recess.

Help your student stay ahead of the winter weather illness curve by dressing appropriately for the cold.

## Family Contact

Please keep your family contact information up to date. You may contact Mrs. Sarver either through email ([sarvers@epd86.org](mailto:sarvers@epd86.org)) or phone (427-5400).

## Absences

All absences from school must be reported to the school by 9:30 each morning. You may call Mrs. Sarver at 427-5400.

If your child is sick, please include their symptoms, such as fever, sore throat, or cough.

## 2011-12 Yearbooks

Yearbooks for this school year are ready for order now. They are priced at \$15 per copy. The deadline for ordering your copy of this year's yearbook is **February 15**.



## Fondulac Banking Center Bank at School

Friday  
February 24



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## Supporting Our School!

We are collecting Campbell's Soup can labels, empty printer cartridges, and "Box Tops for Education" labels from General Mills products to help support our school activities.

You may drop them off at the Glendale school office.

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## Market Day

Each month, Glendale and Woodrow Wilson Schools offer various food items through the "Market Day" program. Pick up will be at Wilson School. Be watching for the flyer to come home to tell you when the pickup date will be.

The following activities are planned at Fondulac Library during the month of February.

**Daring Program for Girls**

Third graders and older are invited to a Daring Program for Girls, based on *The Daring Book for Girls*, February 9 at 6:30 p.m.

**Valentine Craft**

Preschoolers through 5<sup>th</sup>

graders can stop by the library February 10 between 4 and 5 p.m. to decorate a Valentine bag. Supplies are provided.

**Junior Chefs**

If you're in 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade and want to learn how to make (and sample) cake mix cookies, join us Saturday, February 18 at 2 p.m. To ensure we have enough food for

this program, please call 699-3917 to register.

**Kids in the Kitchen**

Kids love to cook! We invite kindergarteners through 2<sup>nd</sup> graders to make no-bake cookies and banana smoothies Saturday, February 25, at 2 p.m. To ensure we have enough food for this program, please call 699-3917 to register.

*Notes from the Music Room*  
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Third grade students are studying pitch (high and low sounds). As we learned the song "Rocky Mountain," we followed a *music map* to see how melodies have high pitches, low pitches, and repeated pitches. We listened to the "Sabre Dance" from *Gayane*, a ballet by Aram Khachaturian. We discovered that the main theme had pitches that stayed high on the staff and were mostly the same. We talked about the *form* of the music and learned that the form for "Sabre Dance" was A, B, bridge, and A Prime.

The fourth grade students are learning the lines and spaces from a series called *Mr. Everybody's Musical Apartment*. It relates the lines and spaces to an apartment building to help give the students a visual

reference for the lines and spaces of the staff. We hope to start playing our recorders shortly after the first of February.

The fifth grade students are reviewing and learning musical terms. We are singing songs by Teresa Jennings that demonstrate musical elements such as legato, staccato, dynamics, tempo, and more. We are reading through other songs to reinforce music terms and learning how to read musical symbols such as *D.S. al Coda*. One song the students seem to enjoy is "Fireflies" by Adam Young. We will be in the computer lab one day in February to use a site called "Fun With Music" for the exploration and reinforcement of musical terms.

Mrs. Barnes



**EP District 86 Plant Sale**

Seems winter has just arrived and already we are talking about spring flowers. The District 86 Music Boosters will be conducting their annual plant sale as follows:

Packets with order forms will be distributed to band and chorus members the week of February 13<sup>th</sup>.

Sales will begin February 18<sup>th</sup> and go through March 9<sup>th</sup>.

Delivery is scheduled for May 11<sup>th</sup>.

Questions may be directed to Mr. Newgard, Mrs. Barnes, Mr. Whitman, or Diane Lauterbach.



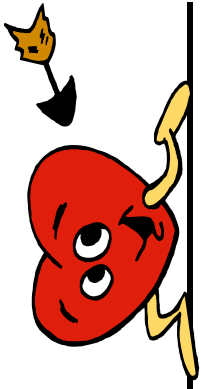
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| Sun | Mon  | Tue   | Wed                             | Thu   | Fri   | Sat  |
|-----|--|---|---------------------------------|---|---|--|
|     |  |   | 1                               | 2<br>Girls Scouts<br>3:15-5:00  | 3   | 4  |
| 5   | 6  | 7<br><i>Firehouse Pizza<br/>Night</i><br>4:30-8:30              | 8                               | 9<br>Fondulac Library<br>"Daring Program<br>for Girls"<br>6:30          | 10<br>Fondulac Library<br>"Valentine Craft"<br>4:00-5:00              | 11   |
| 12  | 13   | 14<br>Valentine Parties<br>at 2:15<br>PTC, at Wilson<br>at 6:00 | 15<br>3rd Mid-Term Sent<br>Home | 16<br>Board of Education<br>CJHS 7:00 P.M.<br>Girls Scouts<br>3:15-5:00 | 17<br><b>DISMISSAL AT<br/>12:40 P.M.</b><br>School<br>Improvement Day | 18<br>Fondulac Library<br>"Junior Chefs"<br>2:00           |
| 19  | 20<br><b>No School<br/>President's Day</b> | 21  | 22                              | 23  | 24<br>Bank at School  | 25<br>Fondulac Library<br>"Kids in the<br>Kitchen"<br>2:00 |
| 26  | 27   | 28  | 29                              |   |   |  |



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| Monday   | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday   |
|--|---|--|---|--|
| <p>6 Bosco sticks<br/>Pizza sauce<br/>Green beans and ham<br/>Pineapple</p>  | <p>7 Popcorn chicken<br/>Rice<br/>Corn<br/>Biscuit<br/>Pears</p>  | <p>1 Hard shell tacos<br/>Nachos and salsa<br/>Lettuce/cheese/sour<br/>cream<br/>Applesauce</p>                            | <p>2 Corn dogs<br/>Mac n cheese<br/>Fresh veggies and dip<br/>Jell-O whip topping</p>               | <p>3 Kickoff foot ball nuggets<br/>Super curly fries<br/>Bowl corn<br/>Fan oranges<br/>Winning brownies</p>  |
| <p>13 McRib sandwich<br/>Potato wedge<br/>Broccoli with cheese<br/>Peaches</p>   | <p>14 Chicken nuggets<br/>Cheesy mashed potatoes<br/>Green beans<br/>Pink and red sherbet<br/>Cherry chip cake</p>  | <p>8 Hot dog with chili<br/>Tater tots<br/>Peas<br/>Cinnamon applesauce</p>  | <p>9 Potato soup<br/>Peanut butter sandwich<br/>Carrots and dip<br/>Cheese stick<br/>Cookie</p>     | <p>10 Personal pan pizza<br/>Lettuce salad<br/>Fresh fruit<br/>Pudding</p>   |
| <p>20 No school<br/>Presidents Day</p>  | <p>21 French toast sticks<br/>Sausage patties<br/>Hash brown potato<br/>Syrup<br/>Juice</p>   | <p>15 Turkey/cheese roll up<br/>Pretzel with cheese<br/>Corn<br/>Baked cinnamon apples</p>                                 | <p>16 French bread pizza<br/>Peas<br/>Apple<br/>Rice krispie treat</p>                              | <p>17 Hamburger with cheese<br/>Potato smiles<br/>Celery and peanut butter<br/>Pineapple</p>   |
| <p>27 Mozzarella sticks<br/>Pizza sauce<br/>Green beans<br/>Peaches</p>  | <p>28 Chicken fajita<br/>Rice<br/>Peas<br/>Mandarin oranges</p>   | <p>22 Pizza<br/>Tossed lettuce salad<br/>Corn<br/>Applesauce</p>   | <p>23 Pork roast dinner<br/>Mashed potatoes and<br/>gravy<br/>Dinner roll<br/>Carrots<br/>Pears</p> | <p>24 Ham and cheese sandwich<br/>Nachos and cheese<br/>Fresh veggies and dip<br/>Oranges<br/>Dessert</p>  |
|  |   | <p>29 Chili with crackers<br/>Peanut butter sandwich<br/>Carrots and dip<br/>Cheese stick<br/>Chocolate graham cookies</p> |   | <p><i>Menu subject to change</i></p>    |

# Glendale School Craft and Home Party Vendor Show

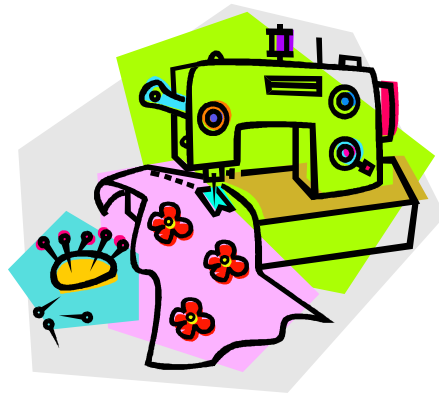
**Where:** Glendale School  
1000 Bloomington Road  
East Peoria

**When:** Saturday, April 21, 2012

**Hours:** 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Come and spend the day with crafters and home party vendors who will have their many products on display for purchase.

The Scholastic Book Fair will also be set up on the stage during the show for your shopping pleasure.



The Encounter Church Children's Group will be selling snacks and lunch items.

What a great way to begin shopping for your spring gifts, such as, Mother's Day, bridal showers, and graduations.



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